

**REMARKS**

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for his careful and thoughtful examination of the present application and for the indication of allowable subject matter in claims 1-5. By way of summary, claims 1-5 were pending in this application. In the present amendment, the Applicant has amended claims 1-5. Accordingly, claims 1-5 remain pending for consideration.

**Rejection of Claims 1-5 Under 35 U.S.C. § 112, Second Paragraph**

The Examiner has stated that the above claims are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which Applicant regards as the invention.

Applicant has amended claims 1-5 for clarification purposes and to address the Examiner's antecedent basis concerns. Applicant believes that the amended claims clearly overcome the Examiner's rejections. It is however believed that the claims would satisfy the statutory requirements for patentability without the entry of such clarifications.

Withdrawal of the rejection of claims 1-5 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph is requested.

All of the claims in the application should now be allowable. Favorable consideration and a Notice of Allowance are earnestly solicited.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees due by way of this Amendment, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-1090.

Respectfully submitted,  
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